

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Eric RASPE et al.

Examiner: SHAFER, SHULAMITH H

Serial No.: 09/720,037

Group Art Unit: 1647

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Title: **USE OF REV-ERB FAMILY OF RECEPTORS IN SCREENING**

REPLY

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.